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KENYATTA UNIVERSITY
CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAMME (CEP) 2021/2022
EXAMINATION FOR POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION
EFD/PG/1: HISTORICAL DEVELOPMENT OF EDUCATION

APRIL, 2022 SESSION

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: The paper consists of **THREE** sections. Answer **ONE** question from each **SECTION**.

SECTION A (24 MARKS)

1. As Kenya (or any other country of your choice) implements a new education system, what are your thoughts on the role of knowledge in History of education in enhancing the same?
2. Critically discuss the educational ideas of any one of the following and their lasting legacy on education:
 - i) Marcus Tillius Cicero
 - ii) Desiderius Erasmus
 - iii) John Amos Comenius
3. The intellectual revival witnessed in Medieval Europe and during the Renaissance had its genesis in Arabic scholarship. Justify

SECTION B (23 MARKS)

4. Discuss the merits and demerits of African Indigenous Education.
5. To what extent was 1945 a turning point in the development of education in Africa?.
6. Discuss the efforts embarked on by Africans in their clamour for better education during the colonial period.

SECTION C (23 MARKS)

7. The missionary factor is indispensable in as far as introduction and growth of western education in Kenya is concerned. Comment.
8. Evaluate **seven** recommendations of the Kenya education Commission (Ominde Commission) of 1964.
9. Identify **seven** major challenges facing primary school education in Kenya and suggest possible remedial measures.